

Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 14, 1904.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:47 and sets 7:06. High water at 7:06 a. m. and 7:33 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section showers and colder tonight. Sunday fair; fresh westerly winds.

Church Services Tomorrow.

CHRIST CHURCH—Services at 11:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. W. J. Morton.
St. Paul's Church—Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. P. P. Phillips.

GRACE CHURCH—Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. E. Ball.

St. Mary's Church—First mass at 7 a. m. Last mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 4 p. m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Services at 8:30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Schrader. No other service.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. F. J. Brooke.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. John A. Wray.

THOMAS M. E. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. J. A. Jeffers.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING at 7:00 p. m. M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. J. P. Stump.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. J. H. S. Ewell.

ENDAVOUR SERVICES at 7:15 p. m. FAITH METHODIST CHURCH—Lee street, near Wilkes—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

VILLAGE CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Gibson street, near Alfred—Sunday school at 2:45 p. m. Preaching at 4:00 p. m.

SUNDAY CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Sunday school at 2. Preaching at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

ALMS HOUSE—Service at 3 p. m. MISSION—West side of Fairfax street, between Franklin and Jefferson streets—Services at 7:30 p. m.

ROBERT'S CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH (colored)—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. MEADE CHAPEL—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.

Death of Captain Blake.

Capt. Lowell L. Blake, commander of the steamer Charles Macalester, died yesterday at his home, 1517 P street, Washington, in his seventy-fifth year.

He had been a sufferer from the grip and yesterday morning was seized with heart trouble and passed away before assistance could be summoned.

Capt. Blake's body will be taken tomorrow to Northfield, Vermont, where he was born in 1830, and where the funeral and interment will take place. He is survived by a widow and two children.

Capt. Blake was a forty-miner, and he amassed a fortune in the California gold fields, going to the coast after the Mexican war, in which he bore a part.

In 1871 he came to Washington to live and about twenty-five years ago went into the steamboat business with the late Col. Joseph McKibbin, a life-long friend and also a California pioneer.

He and Col. McKibbin built the W. W. Corcoran and obtained the exclusive privilege of landing passengers at Mount Vernon. Later they purchased Marshall Hall, which for several years was a most prosperous resort in their hands.

When Col. McKibbin died a few years ago, the resort passed into the hands of another corporation.

Recovering from His Injuries.

Capt. James E. McCracken, a former resident of Alexandria, is recovering rapidly from a broken back, at his present home in Washington. Captain McCracken was crossing the car tracks at Seventh and M streets southwest on February 15 last when he was caught between two cars moving in opposite directions and twisted and thrown about until the cars were stopped, and he fell to the ground in an unconscious condition, apparently fatally injured.

He was taken in a patrol wagon to the Emergency Hospital, where for many days his life hung by a thread. Within a week, however, he began to improve, and the improvement thus begun has progressed steadily.

Board of Aldermen.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last night for the purpose of concurring in the action of the Common Council in adopting the report of the finance committee recommending an appropriation of \$1,300 for continuing the public schools until the close of the session.

President Sweeney and Messrs. Burke, Marbury, Ballenger, Curtin and W. H. Sweeney were present. The action of the Common Council was concurred in—aye 5, noes 0—Mr. W. H. Sweeney having been excused from voting.

The Injured Captain and Mate.

Captain Brown and Mate Griffith, of the schooner Annie Ellen, who were murdered last Wednesday night by Edward Jenkins, colored, have greatly improved during the past twenty-four hours, so much so that they were preparing today to leave this city for Dorchester county, Md. Mate Griffith's son arrived here yesterday and made arrangements to remove the injured men to their homes. The vessel has been placed in charge of other parties who will complete the work of unloading her.

Alleged Brutal Treatment.

Ada Cross, colored, of this city, who is in jail in Washington pending an application for a new trial, has made charges of cruel treatment against the prison authorities. Judge Pritchard yesterday directed District Attorney Beach to prepare indictments against the accused.

The Cross woman alleges that she has been brutally treated and told that jail she would have five years added to her sentence by the court.

Christian Church.

Rev. J. Murray Taylor, pastor of the H street Christian Church, Washington, will hold a series of meetings at Odd Fellows Hall, north Columbus street, beginning Sunday, May 15, at 8:30 p. m. The meetings will be continued each night during the following week at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

River Notes.

The schooner John P. Robinson and Oyster Boy are being loaded with lumber by Smoot & Co. for the lower river.

The flags on the river steamers were flying at half-mast today in respect to the memory of the late Captain Blake of the steamer Charles Macalester.

Police Court.

There were two cases on the docket of the Police Court this morning. Two men, who had been arrested for disorderly conduct, forfeited their collateral by failing to appear, and a man charged with a similar offense, was fined five dollars.

Struck by Electric Train.

A wagon belonging to Mr. H. F. McKenney was struck by a north bound electric train at the intersection of Gibson and Royal streets about ten o'clock this morning. The driver, a young man named Horace Mudd, was thrown out, the horse cut and bruised on the hip and the buggy damaged. It was at first supposed that young Mudd was seriously if not fatally injured, but after having been taken to the hospital it was ascertained that no bones were broken and that he was suffering from shock. He is now resting easy. Mudd was driving in a westerly direction when the train suddenly appeared in front of him. The mortician, Mr. Michael Monroe, applied the hand brake and attempted to stop the train, but he was unable to do so. It is said that the cars were not equipped with air brakes.

Wallace Prize Contest.

The annual prize contest in public extemporaneous speaking, open to members of the senior class, took place last night in White Hall, at the Episcopal Theological Seminary, near this city. The subject appointed for the contest was "The Relations of Young Men to the Church, and How Those Relations May Be Improved." Eight senior men entered and the speakers throughout maintained a high standard of excellence. The first prize was awarded to Mr. Churchill G. Chamberlayne, of the Episcopal diocese of Virginia, and the second to Mr. Pembroke W. Reed, of the diocese of southern Virginia. An appreciative audience attended the exercise. The judges were Rt. Rev. L. L. Kinsolving, bishop of Brazil; Mr. L. M. Blackford, principal of the Episcopal High School; Professor Andrews, and Messrs. George Wise and Angus McD. Crawford.

Spring Carnival.

The enlisted men of the Alexandria Light Infantry will on Monday night next open a spring carnival at Armory Hall to be continued for ten nights. A new programme will be rendered each night and the entertainment will be discussed during the entertainments. All who attend are promised a pleasant evening.

The special attractions Monday night will be Thompson and Hayden in athletics, the A. L. I. quartet and the mess club. The eat as you can contest will start at the sound of the bugle. The company will attend in a body.

The articles to be voted for are as follows: A lady's gold watch, gentleman's diamond ring, Red Men's ring, Elk's button, B. K. T. pen, bicycle, complete baseball outfit, &c.

Death of Mr. Mason.

Mr. Lucien L. Mason, whose serious illness was mentioned in yesterday's Gazette, died at the Emergency Hospital, Washington, last night. The direct cause of death was congestion of the lungs. The deceased about two weeks ago fell and broke one of his legs and was taken to the hospital for treatment, but other troubles followed and his condition became grave yesterday, so much so that the members of his family in this city were notified. He lingered until last night when death overtook him.

Mr. Mason was a well-known citizen. He had for some time been employed as a blacksmith at the Washington navy yard. He leaves a widow and two daughters.

Annual Service.

The annual service of Old Dominion Commandery No. 11, Knights Templars, of this city, will be held in the M. E. Church South tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The order of services will be as follows: Doxology, congregation; invocation, Rev. J. P. Stump; hymn, congregation; reading of Psalm 146, Rev. J. P. Stump; gloria, choir; solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," Mr. W. T. Wilkins; prayer, Rev. J. H. S. Ewell; hymn, congregation; quartette, "Out of the Depths," Misses A. and M. Viernorn, Messrs. W. T. Wilkins and M. L. Dinwiddie address, Rev. Sir W. F. Locke; solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," Mrs. T. A. Hulfish; hymn, congregation; benediction.

Satchel Recovered.

While a north bound passenger train of the Washington-Southern Railway was passing a point near Widewater on the 2d instant a hand satchel belonging to a lady passenger was thrown from the window of the car by her infant daughter. A small sum of money was in the receptacle, together with a ticket for Montreal (to which point the lady was bound) a check for her trunk, visiting cards, etc. A. J. Morris, generally known as "Happy Jack," while walking along the track later found the satchel, brought it to this city and it was turned over to the authorities who communicated with the owner to whom it and the contents will be delivered.

Death of Mr. Entwistle.

Mr. Norton Entwistle died at the Alexandria Hospital last night. The deceased had been indisposed for the past few days, and yesterday his condition was of such a nature as to demand close attention. Early in the night he became much worse, and it was deemed expedient to remove him to the hospital for treatment. He was virtually dying when he reached the institution, and despite the means used to resuscitate him he soon expired. The deceased was a son of the late Wilmer J. Entwistle, and for a number of years he had conducted a grocery store at the southwest corner of Wolfe and Columbus streets.

Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtland Smith will spend next week in Baltimore to attend the horse show.

The Ladies' Memorial Association of Petersburg, have decided to invite Mr. Robert E. Lee, of Fairfax, a grandson of Gen. Robert E. Lee, to deliver the principal address on Confederate Memorial Day, the 9th of June next.

Mrs. W. B. Smithers and her sister, in-law, Mrs. G. A. Hulfish, are visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. W. Frank Lambert has returned from a visit to St. Louis.

Westminster League.

The Westminster League held its annual business meeting last Tuesday at the close of the young people's prayer meeting and elected the following officers: President, H. N. Garner; vice president, F. L. Slaymaker; secretary, L. C. Leatherland; treasurer, Miss Nettie Garner, and the following committees: Religious, M. A. Brenner; membership, Miss Maggie Scott; social, Miss Atha Swain, and music, Miss Myrtle Graves.—[Presbyterian.]

DRY GOODS.

The May Sales Bring Savings That Count.

Important Offerings in White Dress Materials.

Double width White Organdy Remnants, 39c qualities, for 15c yard.

White Persian Lawns, at 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 39c and 50c yard.

White Mercerized Batiste, 48 inches wide, at 50c yard.

White Swiss Mull, 40 inches wide, at 30c yard.

White Seed Dotted Swisses, at 25c, 29c, 39c, 50c and 75c yard.

Plain White Swiss, 40 inches wide, 15c yard.

White Wash Chiffon, 44 inches wide, at 50c, 75c and 85c yard.

White French Nainsook, for dresses, 44 inches wide, at 39c and 50c yard.

White Galatea Cloth, for shirt waist suits, 15c yard.

White Oxford Cheviots, for shirt waist suits, 12 1/2c yard.

Plain White Percal, for shirt waist suits, 12 1/2c yard.

100 pieces book fold India Linons, 25c value, at 15c yard.

Another case of 40-inch India Linon, 15c value, at 10c yard.

White Fancy Madras, 19c value, at 12 1/2c yard.

Mercerized White Madras, for waists, 25c value, at 19c yard.

White Dotted Swiss Lawns, 12 1/2c yard.

D. Bendheim & Sons,

316 King Street

Baseball.

The Sunday school baseball teams of the Episcopal and Baptist churches of this city met this evening west of Colross where the first game of the season was played. Many people were present to watch the game.

The final home game of the Episcopal High School baseball schedule will be played this evening with the Miller School of Charlottesville.

The Miller school baseball team, Capt. C. E. Vawter, who will play the Episcopal High School team, were registered last night at the new Hotel Rammel.

The members of the M. E. Church Sunday school baseball team are requested to report for practice next Monday evening at 6 o'clock at Colross, without fail.

The Pool Room Cases.

In the matter of the St. Asaph pool room cases Commonwealth Attorney Crandall Mackey, of Alexandria county, today filed a demurrer to the petition for a writ of prohibition, in connection with which Judge Nicol recently granted a temporary restraining order prohibiting Justice Hagan from proceeding with the thirteen cases until receiving permission from the Circuit Court. Judge Nicol was asked by Mr. Mackey to set an early day for the hearing. The judge replied that as he would be engaged all of next and of the following week holding court, and would fix June 4th at Manassas as the time and place for hearing the petition.

Primary Election.

The democratic primary election for Mayor, Aldermen and members of the Common Council will be held in this city on Monday next. The polls will be opened in the following places: 1st ward, on the south side of Prince street, between Lee and Union; 2d, City Hotel; 3d, Odd Fellows' Hall, Columbus street, between Cameron and Queen; 4th, Friendship engine house. The polls will be opened from sunrise until sunset.

The Market.

The market this morning showed no improvement over that of last Saturday. There was, however, an ample supply of seasonable produce which was offered at about last week's prices. Strawberries are becoming more plentiful, and by this time next week the home-grown fruit will be coming in. The berries on the benches this morning sold at 12 1/2 cents a box. In some stores in the city, however, they were offered at lower prices.

Will Probated.

The will of the late R. H. Havener was admitted to probate in the clerk's office of the Corporation Court today. The deceased named his widow, Mrs. Agnes M. Havener, as executrix and directed that his property be sold and that the proceeds be divided between his widow and three daughters. The estate is valued at about \$7,500.

County Democrats.

The democrats of Alexandria county will hold district conventions on Tuesday next, May 17, for the purpose of electing four delegates to the State convention to be held in Richmond on June 9th next.

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Property Sale.

Capt. R. F. Knox sold at auction today for M. L. Price, Jr., trustee, a lot of ground 16x123 feet and a lot of ground 30x133 feet adjoining, as a combined lot or whole, situated on the west side of Payne street, between Duke and Prince streets, with all buildings and improvements thereon, to Mr. M. Ahern, for \$1,700 cash.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Affairs at Fishtown this morning had undergone no change since yesterday.

Dr. G. T. Kilpstein, of this city, has purchased a part of the Frank Lee estate on Seminary Hill.

A fine new pavement has been laid around the restaurant of Mr. Charles Zimmerman in Market Alley.

Mr. James Whitbeck, while at work in the Southern Railway shops yesterday evening, was quite badly hurt by being struck by a piece of iron.

A meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company was held last night. No business of special importance was transacted.

Prof. Edward Wray, of North Carolina, a blind man, will deliver a lecture in Schuler's Hall next Tuesday night. His subject will be "Why we laugh."

The mild and fair weather of the past few days was followed today by showers, accompanied by some thunder and lightning. The temperature has fallen somewhat.

The trolley pole of the motor car of the electric train which left Washington at 10:25 o'clock this morning broke while on the way to this city. The roof of the car was damaged by the accident, but no one was hurt.

Prime Soft Shell Crabs on toast, Deviled Crabs, Steamed Hard Shell Crabs and Salad (Saturday), at Rammel's Restaurant. Both 'phones.

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"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my teens again," writes D. H. Turner, of Deepseetown, Pa. "They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store."

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Deviled Crabs are made fresh twice daily at Rammel's Restaurant—five o'clock in the afternoon and eight o'clock in the evening. Both 'phones.

CANDIDATES.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the Common Council from the First Ward—subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

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Sealed proposals in triplicate for a Brick Addition to Band Barrack and for a Frame Shop Shed will be received until 10 a. m. June 14, 1904, and then publicly opened. The right is reserved to reject any proposal or part thereof. Information furnished upon application. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Buildings" and addressed to CAPTAIN G. C. BARNHART, Quartermaster.

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To the Voters of Alexandria:

The Citizens' Progressive Association is an organization composed of Alexandria business men. It is non-political—it does not promote the political or private fortune of any man or clique of men.

The sole purpose and object of the Association is the promotion of the present and future welfare of our city.

Its members are fully persuaded that the future welfare of our city is largely dependent upon the improvement of its streets.

No non-progressive Council ever made any substantial improvements in the past, and none but a progressive Council will make any in the future.

The Citizens' Progressive Association has endorsed the following gentlemen as candidates for the City Council; its members intend to vote for them; and the Association respectfully urges all citizens who favor street improvements to help elect these gentlemen to Council.

THE CITIZENS' PROGRESSIVE ASSOCIATION.

FOR ALDERMEN.

FIRST WARD. SECOND WARD.

N. P. T. Burke, Theo. Ballenger,

J. M. Hill, F. F. Marbury.

THIRD WARD. FOURTH WARD.

J. R. N. Curtin, Jno. T. Sweeney,

Worth Hulfish, Thos. W. Clark.

FOR COUNCIL.

FIRST WARD. SECOND WARD.

H. R. Burke, Henry Baader,

E. S. Leadbeater, Louis Brill,

H. F. Wheat, Henry Strauss,

Peter Aitcheson, J. Y. Williams.

THIRD WARD. FOURTH WARD.

W. H. Hellmuth, James McCuen,

W. H. McCuen, Albert Bryan,

James Patterson, F. C. Spinks, Jr.,

T. B. Cochran, C. B. Marshall.

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